

D LICENSE PLATES GO ON SALE IN CITY

WALTER R. HUTCHESON
FIRST SET OF PLATES
FOR THE COMING YEAR

SHOWS OLD CUSTOM

As Had First Set For Several
Years. Mrs. McFerrin Opens
Fourth Year In Department

Dr. Walter R. Hutcheson had received the first pair of 1940 license plates issued in this county, quite possible his recuperation from his recent illness might have set-back. But, now, with plates 89-201 in his possession, and his driver's license, also, he bids fair to make use of both within a comparatively short time. Dr. Hutcheson had the first plates through the hands of Mrs. Lillie McFerrin, John Rightsell in the county license agency, which is a territory of seven or eight years, maybe back of that time.

Identically, Mrs. McFerrin began connection with the license-disseminating business in Putnam county years ago, Tuesday, and the plates she is now distributing for her fourth year in the of-

second set of passenger plates to Vernie Larkin, Mr. Merid-
garage man.

The first truck plates were taken by Todd of Greencastle, No. 118-
The second truck plates were taken by Charles E. Smith, Greencas-

are 4600 pairs of automobile
and 900 sets of truck plates in
Putnam county agency, for lo-

pping Mr. and Mrs. McFerrin in
local agency this year are Miss
Brothers, of Greencastle, Miss
Steele of near Fincastle, and
Virginia Boswell of Madison

Wednesday, Mrs. McFerrin sent Put-
county plates to three widely
scattered county residents, tempo-
rally in other regions—
W. M. O'Brien, at Miami, Fla.;
Allen, in Texas, and Ralph Ar-

Long Beach, Calif.
Watkins, of Monticello, dri-
license inspector for 16 coun-
of the state, including Putnam

was here Tuesday, said the
police officers had been instruc-
not to arrest anyone for having
plates on their automobiles pri-

to the opening of that year, but
Watkins said, there is no restric-
on local officers of any com-

city making such an arrest. This
of 1940 plates before January 1
legal, he admitted, as such plates
not evidence that the car on
they appear is licensed for

The new plates are handsome—
black background with aluminum
letters and numbers.

BREMEN IS SIGHTED

LONDON, Dec. 12 (UP)—The
submarine in a statement today said
\$20,000,000 German luxury liner
men, en route from the Russian
coast toward Germany, had
spared by a British submarine
cause it would have been contrary
the rules of warfare to torpedo the
without warning.

The admiral's brief and indefi-
nitive communication said that the
Bremen was sighted by the British sub-
marine en route to a home port,
which reliable sources said meant
that the big liner was making its
way from Murmansk on the Arctic
coast of Russia toward a German
port.

The submarine could have fired a
torpedo, since the Bremen was in
sight, according to the statement,
but it refrained from doing so be-
cause it had no opportunity to give
the required warning. The Bremen is
a speedy passenger ship and probably
could make twice as many knots as
a submarine, so that the underwater
craft could easily have been out-

stanced.

REPORTED RUSSIA TO REFUSE THE LEAGUE

GENEVA, Dec. 12 (UP)—A report
reached the League of Nations sec-
retariat today that Russia had de-
cided to quit the League rather than
submit to pressure to cease at once
her war against Finland and to agree
to mediation under League auspices.
The report was unconfirmed, but
it checked with advance reports as
to Russia's probable attitude.

A committee of 13 met this morn-
ing to await Russia's reply—if any—to
the League assembly's note de-
manding immediate cessation of the
war and the opening of peace nego-
tiations.

NEW RUSSIAN DRIVE STARTED AGAINST FINNS

PINCHER LIKE MOVEMENT
AGAINST FINNISH ARMY
REPORTED BY MOSCOW

GAINS ALONG ALL FRONTS

Red Forces Claim To Be Advancing
Far Into Enemy Territory Near
Lake Ladoga

MOSCOW, Dec. 12.—(UP)—Russia
has started a new drive along the
northwest shore of Lake Ladoga, in
the Sortavala sector, with the in-
tention of driving down to meet its
army fighting in the Karelian Isth-
mus, it was indicated today.

An official communique announced
that the Russians had taken the im-
portant railroad terminus of Pat-
kaeranta, on the north shore of the
lake, near Sortavala.

The communique was interpreted
to mean the Russians operating in
this area would seek to drive along
the northwest and west shores of the
lake down to the Vuoksi line at
which another army has been ham-
mering for days.

This would bring into the path of
the Russians in their new movement
the important city of Kerkholm on
the west shore of Lake Ladoga.

The Russians claimed gains on all
fronts in Finland but said nothing
of the mileage covered.

It was asserted that the villages of
Muurila and Siprola on the coast of
the Finnish gulf had been captured.

For the ninth day, the communi-
que noted, low clouds prevented ex-
tensive aerial activity.

Frank Tiso, first minister from
Slovakia to Russia, arrived yester-
day—though Russia's recognition of
the Satellite state which Germany
formed from part of dismembered
Czechoslovakia had never been an-
nounced.

Further Zdenek Fierlinger contin-
ues to enjoy at least semi-diplomatic
status here as Czechoslovak minister,
he resides at the Czechoslovak leg-
ation over which he flies the Czech-
oslovak flag.

It was announced that Josef
Stalin, accompanied by Premier
Foreign Minister Viacheslav Molotov
and War Commissar Klement Vor-
oshilov had received Gen. Johan
Laidoner, commander in chief of the
Estonian army, in an hour's confer-
ence at the Kremlin. Interest at-
tached to the meeting because of its
possible connection with Russian op-
erations in Finland, across the gulf
from Estonia.

MERCHANTS ASKED TO AID XMAS SHOPPERS

DOWN TOWN PARKING PRO-
BLEMS DISCUSSED AT MEET-
ING HELD MONDAY

PARKING CONGESTION BAD

And Because of This, Merchants and
Clerks Are Asked to Leave
Cars at Home

Greencastle merchants had a meet-
ing Monday afternoon in the Assem-
bly room of the court house on the
problem of down town parking, es-
pecially during the holiday season,
when parking is more of a problem
than ever before.

It was the census of the opinion
that the merchants ask each other
not to park down town, and also to
ask their clerks to do likewise. This
applies to professional men and wo-
men who work in offices and who
may be parking their automobiles in
areas around the shopping district
which is left vacant, will allow more
space for out of town visitors.

Since there is no parking limit of
any kind on down town parking, so
far as the time limit is concerned,
many of these people, as well as
some merchants and clerks, park
their cars on the square throughout
the day. It is to remove this kind
of parking that the merchants met
Monday.

Since the state remarked the route
of 43 through the city, many former
parking spaces have been eliminated
and some shoppers are reporting
parking a greater problem than be-
fore and because of this shortage,
they are remaining away or come
less often.

During the holidays, if the mer-
chants and professional workers will
park away from the congested area,
it will be of great assistance to the
out of town shoppers, and it is hoped
this will be done during the next two
weeks. It is expected that some
time after the first of the year, the
city will take some action on time
limits in parking down town, but at
present there is no limit.

RURAL ELECTRIC IS SPREADING ITS LINES

The continued spreading of the line
of the Parke county Rural Electric
Membership Corporation—the federal
organization supplying electricity to
rural subscribers—in north and west
Putnam county has caused additional
filing of easements on Putnam county
farm property, the office of the re-
corder here having received 138 of
such easements to record within the
last few days.

These easements are in Monroe,
Russell and Franklin townships. The
persons giving the easements give the
corporation the right to erect neces-
sary poles and braces on their prop-
erty, and to cut trees that are in the
way of the work.

J. E. CANNON PASSED AWAY EARLY TUESDAY

WIDELY KNOWN CITIZEN OF
GREENCASTLE DIES FOLLOW-
ING A LONG ILLNESS

FUNERAL THURSDAY MORNING

Services Will Be Held From the St.
Paul's Catholic Church of Which
He Was A Devout Member

James E. Cannon, 112 south
Bloomington street, age 61 years,
died early Tuesday morning. He had
been ill for the past several months
and had been seriously ill for the
past two weeks.

Mr. Cannon was associated with
the J. F. Cannon & Co., clothing
store for many years and through
his association there, had a wide
circle of friends and acquaintances
throughout the community. He was
born and reared in Greencastle and
perhaps no one was better known in
the city.

Mr. Cannon is survived by the wid-
ow, one brother, Frank J. Cannon,
and two sisters, Miss Anne Cannon
of Gary and Sister Theresa Marie of
St. Mary's of The Woods, Terre
Haute.

The funeral will be held from St.
Paul's Catholic church of which he
was a life-time member, Thursday
morning at nine o'clock. Father Mc-
Grath will be in charge. Burial will
be in Forest Hill cemetery.

LARKIN AND EARNSHAW ARE PICTURED IN BULLETIN

The current issue of The Farm
Credit Administration Bulletin, is-
sued by the Federal Land Bank of
Louisville, Ky., carries an item of in-
terest to Putnam county.

On the back page of the bulletin
are two pictures of Ray Larkin on
his farm in Jefferson township. One
picture shows Mr. Larkin with two
of his prize cows, while the other
is an informal pose of Mr. Larkin
discussing pork production with John
W. Earnshaw, secretary-treasurer
of the Greencastle Production Credit
Association.

In the discussion on pork The Bul-
letin and Mr. Larkin are quoted as
follows: "Wise care given 23 of his
sows last spring enabled O. Ray
Larkin to wean 207 pigs, which were
fattened for market on his Putnam
county farm. With corn at their dis-
posal all the time, his feeder pigs
gave a good natured "bu-u-sh" and
leapt away when anyone enters the
feedlot! I would rather see them do
that than crowd around the gates
squealing for corn," Larkin said.

"They gain faster when the table is
always set."

SCENE NEAR RACCOON ON STATE ROAD 43



Several years ago, we don't know just how many, two brothers, Fall
brothers, owned a farm south of Racoon, on State Road 43. It was an
ordinary farm in Franklin township, but for some reason or other, they
saw fit to erect a big sign near the highway, which many people have
read and had a good chuckle over. It is the sign pictured above. It
indicates the poorest farm on State Road 43, which runs from Spencer
north to Michigan City and through some of the worst sections of the
state as well as the best, as far as farming conditions are concerned.
The Fall Bros., sign has created a lot of talk from motorists all over
the country and standing as it has for years, in all kinds of weather,
was somewhat intelligible from the highway until the past summer, when
the owners of the farm thought to brighten it up a bit and now it is
painted a bright red, so that all who pass may read without using their
spectacles.

Recorder's Office Has A Big Job

ONE RECORDING OF 292 WILL
REQUIRE THREE WEEKS
TIME

In the office of Mrs. Nellie M.
Denny, recorder of Putnam county,
work has been started on the three-
weeks' task of recording a mortgage
executed by the Public Service Cor-
poration to the National Bank of
Chicago whereby all of the easements
for right of way and all equipment
owned by that corporation, in the
state of Indiana, including their high
tension system through Putnam
county, are given as security for a
loan of \$38,000,000.

The Public Service Corporation
owns some of the electric lines along
the tracks of the Indiana Railroads,
operating the traction line through
Greencastle from which lines the
corporation serves private customers
in the county, in addition to furnish-
ing the power used by the traction
line.

The mortgage was brought to the
office of the Putnam county record-
er by one of a group of men out of
the Chicago office of the corporation
the one man coming to Greencastle
having to file an identical mortgage
in four other counties near Putnam,
that same day, and each other man
of the squad had a similar task, and
all of them were required to be back
in the Chicago office by 10 o'clock
that night, to report their assign-
ment completed. Thus, the mortgages
were filed in all counties affected on
the same date.

The recording fee of the mortgage
was \$174 for the easements on real
estate, and 50 cents chattel. The
mortgage is comprised in a printed
book, 292 pages, the pages being of
about the same size as the pages in
the printed copies of the statutes of
the state.

The making of the copy, by type
writer, in the office of the Putnam
recorder will, she says, require at
least three weeks and during that
time no other mortgage can be re-
corded. This work will be done in the
office by one person at a time, and
the other work of the office, includ-
ing the recording of deeds, will pro-
ceed as usual, so that there will be
no delay excepting in the recording
of other mortgages. At least 150
typewritten pages of the Putnam
mortgage record will be occupied by
the Public Service mortgage.

CHRISTMAS PLAY TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:00 p. m. Der Deut-
sches Bund will hold their annual
Christmas play in the Little Theater
at the corner of Seminary and Col-
lege streets.

The play was written by Dr. Baerg
and is in the form of a medieval
church play. Accompanying the ac-
tors will be a chorus who will sing
a number of Christmas carols.

Many townspeople usually attend
this play and again the place will
be thrown open to the public. There
will be no admission charge and a
knowledge of German is not neces-
sary to follow up the play. The story
and songs are those familiar to all.

The audience will join the choir
in singing "O Tannenbaum" and
"Stille Nacht."

INVESTIGATION OF N. L. R. B. IS SENSATIONAL

SENSATIONAL CONFIDENTIAL
INFORMATION RELEASED ON
OPENING DAY

BOARD FEELINGS RUN HIGH

New Member Made Repeated At-
tempts To Unseat Secretary
Of Board

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (UP)—
Counsel for the special house com-
mittee investigating the National
Labor Relations Board promised to
have Dr. William M. Leiserson iden-
tify today a "most interesting" re-
port to the board by a "very promi-
nent individual."

Committee counsel Edmund N.
Toland declined to reveal in advance
the nature or author of the docu-
ment which was suspended from the
labor board files. He said he would
read it to the committee after having
board member Leiserson identify it.

Toland called Leiserson again after
having him identify yesterday num-
erous memoranda among NLRB
members which revealed Leiserson's
criticism of several board policies
and his demand for the removal of
board secretary Nathan Witt. The
committee was expected to conclude
its questioning of Leiserson late to-
day.

Other members of the labor board
—chairman J. Warren Madden and
Edwin S. Smith—will not be called
until after Congress convenes in
January, Toland indicated. He pre-
viously had planned to have them
follow Leiserson, but now expects to
question about 40 other supenaed
witnesses, including president Homer
Martin of the AFL-faction of the
United Workers Union and president
Joe Ozanic of the Progressive Mine
Workers of America (AFL).

Yesterday's hearing began with
the reading of a 22-page prepared
statement by Leiserson in which he
admitted "deficiencies in administra-
tive organization and supervision"
among the labor board staff, but de-
fended the Wagner Labor Relations
Act—unequivocally opposing its
amendment—and, with a few excep-
tions, NLRB personnel. His criti-
cisms, he said, were directed at
"about six people out of the 900"
employed by the board.

The tone of the hearing soon
changed, however, when Toland, be-
fore Leiserson had finished his pre-
pared statement, began releasing
copies of supenaed correspondence to
newspaper reporters. When these
were identified and read by Toland,
they revealed:

1. Leiserson's persistent criticism
of Witt, whose dismissal he sought
twice, and his refusal to participate
in cases which he believed had been
"mishandled" by Witt's office before
he (Leiserson) became a board mem-
ber last June.

2. Board member Smith's sugges-
tion that court action be sought to
compel Leiserson to "perform the
duties of his office," or that the
board at least formally "condemn"
his refusal to participate in old cases
in which Smith and Madden were in
disagreement.

3. Leiserson's suggestion to the
other board members three months
ago that he believed the San Fran-
cisco regional office "needs to be in-
vestigated immediately to get rid of
partisanship." His memorandum
said that the offices' report on a
case involving the F. E. Booth &
Co., "puts the regional office in a
ridiculous situation of making charg-
es against itself."

4. A memorandum from regional
director Frank H. Bowen of Det-
roit, written in Nov. 1937, in which
he said the board had a "weak case"
against the Aronson Printing Com-
pany "so we are trying to break down
Aronson rather than go to a hear-

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Today's Weather and Local Temperature

Mostly cloudy with light rain in
south and east portions tonight and
snow flurries in extreme northeast
portion Wednesday; warmer except
near Lake Michigan tonight; colder
Wednesday.

Min'mum	35
6 a. m.	36
7 a. m.	37
8 a. m.	41
9 a. m.	46
10 a. m.	50
11 a. m.	52
12 noon	53
1 p. m.	57
2 p. m.	57

10 MORE DAYS TO BUY AND USE
CHRISTMAS SEALS
PROTECT YOUR HOME FROM TUBERCULOSIS
In over forty countries, Christmas
Seals are sold as a means of obtain-
ing support to carry on the fight
against tuberculosis.

Announce Complete Vesper Service Programs

The completed program of the Sunday evening vespers services for the year was released today from the office of the president.

Next Sunday afternoon Dr. Walter Bundy, professor of Bible, will speak in connection with the Fiftieth Anniversary of the founding of Phi Beta Kappa at DePauw University.

The January services will bring Reverend Amos Thornburg, pastor of the Mathewson Street Methodist Church of Providence, Rhode Island to DePauw on the twenty-first. In February Dr. M. H. Lichter, pastor of the first Congregational Church, Columbus, Ohio will speak on the afternoon of the twenty-first.

Dr. Halford Luccock of Yale University will appear on the vesper series of March thirty-first and on April twenty-eighth Dr. Richard Raines of Minneapolis, Minnesota, father of Rose Raines, a student at DePauw, will complete the series for the year. Dr. Raines is pastor of the Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church of Minneapolis.

Thus far the two vespers services presenting Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes and Dr. Oscar T. Olson have brought the response of a large num-

ber of people. The DePauw University Choir under the direction of Dr. Van Denman Thompson furnishes music for the services.

Society News

G. C. Murphy Employees Enjoy Party Monday Evening

Employees of the G. C. Murphy company and their guests, were entertained with a Christmas party Monday evening at Mrs. Anderson's Tea Room. Forty three were present for the party.

In the early part of the evening, Santa Claus appeared and distributed gifts to all those present. Following the presentations of the gifts, games and contests were enjoyed by all.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, coffee, and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kumley, Greencastle, R. R. 1, are the parents of a son born Tuesday.

Double-cross tuberculosis with the double-barred cross, the international symbol of the fight against the disease, pictured on every Christmas Seal!

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Personals and LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Miss Kerry Hocker, south College street, entered the county hospital Monday for treatment.

Miss Catherine Smith, Greencastle, R. 1, entered the county hospital Tuesday morning, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tompkins and daughter Doris Jean of Indianapolis visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKeenan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brattain, Mrs. Edna Rensh and Mrs. Carl Skelton attended the funeral of Mrs. Martha Koenig at Terre Haute Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Hellinger has returned from Washington, D. C., where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Liedman and Dr. Liedman.

Mrs. O. A. Newhouse of San Antonio, Texas, and Mrs. W. P. Koehler of Jackson, Miss., arrived here Monday to spend a few days with Miss Mabel Stoner.

The Putnam County Democratic Club will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Assembly Room of the court house. The program will be announced in Friday's paper.

Funeral services for Henry O. Dawson, a resident of Carpentersville, were held Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock from the Chastain Funeral home in Roachdale. Interment was in the Roachdale cemetery.

The city firemen were called to the home of John Able, trustee of Greencastle township, at 308 south Indiana street, yesterday afternoon where a spark from a chimney had started a blaze on the roof. About half a square of shingles were burned, the firemen said.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Crosby and son Dick of Roachdale, Mrs. Charlotte Highway and Mrs. Lavanda Vennard of Ladoga, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Alexander, 110 east Jefferson street, on Sunday.—Crawfordsville Journal and Review.

Funeral services for Mrs. Delilah Smith, former resident of Greencastle, will be held Wednesday afternoon from the Mt. Zion Baptist church at 2:00 o'clock. The Rev. H. C. Franklin of Brazil will be in charge of the services. Burial will be in Forest Hill cemetery.

The Clinton and Madison townships Home Economic Club will have their annual Christmas meeting for the club members and their families on Thursday, December 14th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Giltz. There will be a pitch-in, dinner. The roll call is Christmas verses and there will be an exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Lou Bryant, of Coatesville, widow of Greeley Bryant, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Hessler, at Plainfield. She also was the mother of Mrs. Paul Herod of Coatesville. Funeral services will be held in Coatesville at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Friends may call at any time before the service. Mr. Bryant was in business in Coatesville many years prior to his death.

Experience is the best teacher—Just give us a trial on your family wash and see if we don't convince you. Call 126. Home Laundry and Cleaners. 12-11

A DIFFERENT CHRISTMAS GIFT: Aquafoliums—what are they? Stop at Eitel's Flowers and see them.

INVESTIGATION

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5. A "confidential" memorandum from Leiserson to Madden in which Leiserson agreed that it would be better for him to revise his dissent in a Chrysler Corporation case "to omit any criticism of members of the board."

6. A telephone conversation between president David Dubinsky of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union and Witt in which Dubinsky expressed anger because of an unfavorable decision in which Leiserson participated and complained to Witt that President Roosevelt had not "done a good thing" in appointing him to the board. Dubinsky also added that "that isn't what we pay our money for."

SOCIETY

Phone All Social and Personal Items To 95
Miss Betty Bryan — Society Editor

P. E. O. To Hold Dinner Meeting

Chapter I of P. E. O. Sisterhood will have dinner at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fowler D. Brooks, 725 east Seminary street.

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Section Three to Meet With Mrs. Dietrich

Section Three of the First Christian Church will meet Thursday afternoon promptly at 2 o'clock with Mrs. John Dietrich, 108 east Poplar street. There will be a 10c gift exchange. Members are asked to bring Ivory soap wrappers and Oxydol box tops.

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Mrs. Schulz To Be Hostess Thursday

The Mt. Olive Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ed Schulz.

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Ridpath P. T. A. To Meet Thursday Night

Under the direction of Mrs. Hollis Masten, sixth grade teacher at Third Ward, the children will present a Christmas program for Parent Teacher meeting at 7:30 Thursday night. The play is entitled "The One Gift" by arrangement with the Samuel French Co.

Mildred Greenleaf will have charge of the devotions. Marion Greenleaf will play the accompaniments. Mrs. James Strain will give a short talk on "Reverence."

All the children of the sixth grade will take part in the evening's program in one way or another. They will serve refreshments.

The meeting will open with a short business program with Mrs. G. W. Giddings, the president presiding.

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Section One To Meet Thursday

Section One of the First Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church parlors. Members please remember to bring gifts for the children's home.

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Keystone Class To Meet Thursday

The Christmas meeting of the Keystone Bible Class will be held on Thursday evening, December 14, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Hutcheson. Assisting hostesses will be Miss Irene Burk and Mrs. Clyde Williams. Devotions will be in charge of Mrs. O. T. Higgins and Mrs. Omer Beck will have the Christmas program. There will be an exchange of gifts.

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Manhattan Ladies To Hold Meeting

The Manhattan Ladies Aid Society will hold their all day Christmas meeting Thursday, December 14, at the church. The usual basket dinner will be at noon. There will be a Christmas program and gift exchange in the afternoon. All the ladies of the community are invited.

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Mrs. Bartlett Hostess To Boston Club Monday

The Boston Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. E. R. Bartlett with Miss Jennie Throop assisting hostess. The Bartlett home was beautifully decorated in keeping with Christmas season.

Tribute was paid to Miss Ella Adams deceased, a charter member of the club. Miss Jennie Throop gave a brief talk of Miss Adams' work with the club. Mrs. John Boyd presented the program. Mrs. William Bishop read an appropriate chapter from the Bible and also gave a Christmas story selected from the Bible. The Misses Evelyn, Anna Marie Eitel and Lorraine Brendel sang four numbers accompanied on the piano by Miss Barbara Bartlett. The following young ladies from DePauw favored the club with their presence and delighted those attending with the following selections. Miss Nelson, a Christmas poem, Miss Wooster, Van Dyke's Keeping Christmas, Miss Shirlene Siebel, a Parody to Night Before Christmas, Christmas Tide and Let Us Keep Christmas, Miss Beryl Peterson a reading "A Song for Christmas" and Miss Barbara Conser gave a one act play "Dust of the Road." Joy to the World and Silent Night were sung by the members of the club in closing the program. During the social hour delicious refreshments were served.

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Section Four To Meet With Mrs. Fellers

Section Four of the First Christian Church will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Cecil Fellers, Mrs. J. F. Spurlock, Mrs. Algan Moore, Mrs. Clifford McMains and Mrs. Thomas Sweet will be the assisting hostesses. Please bring a 10c gift for the grab bag.

Golden Sewing Club Met Wednesday

The Golden Sewing Club met at Mrs. Mary Bennis, December 6th. Eleven members answered the roll call by telling: what I want for Christmas.

Devotions were read by Mrs. Culley. Christmas gifts were received by each member. Contests were won by Mrs. Bennis and Mrs. Culley. Delicious refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed by all.

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Farm Bureau To Meet Wednesday

The Madison Township Farm Bureau will meet at No. 10 school house Wednesday evening, December 13th at 7:30.

Entertainment will be furnished by No. 10 and No. 4 school children.

Also there are contests for all to enter and enjoy. Santa will be there with a gift for everyone. Everyone welcome.

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Bainbridge P. T. A. To Meet Wednesday

The Bainbridge P. T. A. will meet Wednesday evening, December 13th, at 7:30 o'clock in the assembly room of the school building.

An interesting program has been arranged by the Floyd and Jackson program committee.

A moving picture show has been scheduled along with an interesting talk.

All parents and friends of the school are invited to attend.

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Bainbridge P. T. A. Study Group Met Last Tuesday

The Bainbridge P. T. A. Study Group held a meeting Tuesday p. m., December 5, at the school building. Dr. J. W. Jackson from the state health department gave a very interesting talk on "Cancer." He showed slides and explained them very carefully to the audience, inviting questions on any phase not understood.

About fifteen members completed the required eight hours of study and many more were present at the meetings which have been as follows: Communicable Diseases, Dr. J. W. Jackson; Home Nursing Demonstration—Miss Friedman; Venereal Diseases, Dr. Bowman; Tuberculosis and T. B. testing, Mrs. Clatilde Sanguiet; Cancer, with pictures, Dr. J. W. Jackson.

Plans are being made to carry on this phase of parent education for the coming year.

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Shower For Mrs. Hanlon, Recently Married

A linen shower was given by Mrs. Wm. Trinkle and Miss Evelyn Shuck in honor of Mrs. Ben Hanlon who was recently married. Those attending were Mrs. Valentine Hanlon, Helen Hanlon, Mrs. Ruth Shuck, Dorothy Shuck, Mary Hartnagle, Ellen Lewman, Mary Payne, Virginia Twomey, Laura Strange, Bobby Lou Owens, Jay Smith, Mary Anne Porter, Margaret Ann Scobe, Lorene Williams, Doris Williams, Mrs. Cleo Chenoweth, Mrs. Kate Howard. The bride received many beautiful gifts. Dainty refreshments were served to the guests.

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Legion Auxiliary Met With Mrs. Baldwin

Putnam County Unit No. 58 of the American Legion Auxiliary held a called meeting and Christmas party at the home of the president, Mrs. Florence Baldwin, on December 8.

During a short business session plans were completed for the child welfare rehabilitation and Knights-town home Christmas program. The program includes gifts for children from Putnam County, who are now at the Knights-town home and children of the deceased veterans of Putnam county. Christmas baskets for the needy, donations to the Knights-town and veterans Christmas fund, purchasing health bonds and cooperation with the Legion in its Christmas program. Funds for these are made from the sale of poppies on "Poppy Day." The unit has ordered 2000 poppies for this year which is 400 more than its quota.

The business session was followed by a gift exchange, singing of Christmas carols and entertainment.

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Past Presidents Parley Group Met Friday

The Past Presidents Parley Group of the local unit of the American Legion Auxiliary held its initiation meeting at the home of Mrs. Cecil Brown Friday evening. Mrs. Rachel Buis, junior past president, was initiated. After the initiation Chinese checkers were played and a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa To Meet This Evening

Mrs. Lafayette LeVan Porter will entertain the associate chapter of Tri Kappa with a buffet supper at 6:30 o'clock this evening, at her home in Northwood.

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Friendship Economics Club To Meet With Mrs. Jones

The Friendship Home Economics Club will hold its Christmas pound party Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dennis Jones. Please bring a 25c gift for the grab bag and a 10c gift for the children's exchange.

TODAY'S CHAPEL

In preparation for the fiftieth anniversary celebration of Indiana Alpha chapter of Phi Beta Kappa next Sunday and Monday, Dr. Coen C. Pierson of DePauw's history department spoke in Tuesday chapel on the history of Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic fraternity.

Dr. Pierson outlined the changes in the society since its founding at William and Mary College in 1776. "Although Phi Beta Kappa is the oldest Greek-letter fraternity," he said, "it has lost its social aspect and has discarded its secret nature." He told of the formation of a national organization, the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, and translated the letters Phi Beta Kappa as meaning "A love of wisdom is a guide of life."

"The DePauw chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was founded, not at Beechcroft, the home of Colonel Weaver and now the Kappa Alpha Theta house, as tradition goes, but in the Theological Lyceum in old Middle College," Dr. Pierson continued. This was on December 17, 1889. "However, Colonel Weaver was elected first president of the chapter, held office for twenty years, and was host to most of the social meetings during the two decades," he explained.

Women were not eligible to membership in Indiana Alpha until 1898; from the founding until this year, there was much opposition to the step, culminating in the resignation of two members upon their admittance.

"Accounts of the first social meetings make interesting reading," Dr. Pierson reported and told of the original poems read and scholarly papers presented. Prominent men were elected to honorary membership, among them Dr. Henry B. Longden, Senator Albert J. Beveridge, and Charles Fairbanks in 1904. Dr. Pierson mentioned the long account carried by the Greencastle BANNER concerning Fairbanks' initiation.

"From 1909, when Colonel Weaver resigned as president, to 1929, the guiding light of Indiana Alpha was Dean William Blanchard, in his posts as secretary and president," Dr. Pierson said. During this time he wrote a ritual for the DePauw chapter which was preferred to the national ritual and maintained a policy of local autonomy. "However in 1929, the chapter voted in a policy naming presidents for one year only, thus forcing itself to depend on the national organization for consistent administration," Dr. Pierson added.

BRITISH UNDER HEAVY FIRE

PARIS, Dec. 12.—(UP)—British troops holding a western front sector in the Moselle region south of Buschdorf have been under intensive German artillery fire after repulsing German raiding patrols and inflicting heavy losses. French military dispatches reported today.

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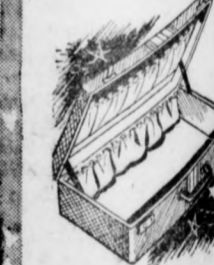
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by WARREN BAYLEY

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If you make a trip to the Pacific Coast, or vice versa, after Thanksgiving day, the chances are good that you will visit this thriving metropolis in southwestern New Mexico. All major highways converge at various points east of here and pass through town as a single unit. West of the city they split again, giving the traveler a choice of three different routes to the coast.

Described by the late Arthur Brisbane as being destined to become one of the great health resorts of the world, it possesses one of the most healthful year around climates to be found. The United States Weather Bureau describes the climate as "dry, mild, sunny, generally invigorating and comfortable."

If you saw the motion picture "Stage Coach" you have a good mental picture of the surrounding country. The picture was taken from the story "Stage to Lordsburg."

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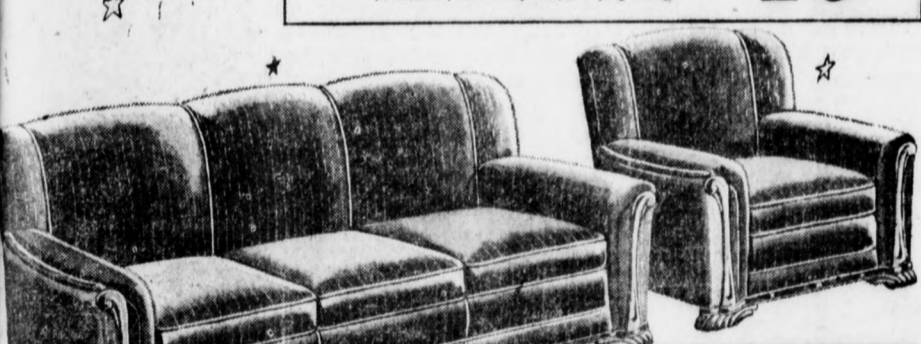


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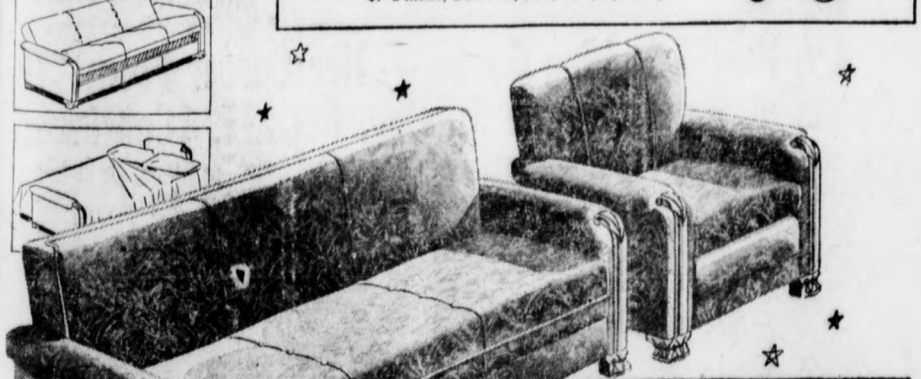


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Farm Oddities By Sam Guard Radio Commentator on The Farmers' Forum



Sam Guard

IT takes more than badges and guns to impress Miles Miller, a farmer of near Sturgis, Mich. Miller was a member of a posse searching for robbers in a wood north of Sturgis when he came upon two armed men. Miller raised his shotgun and commanded the two men to accompany him, ignoring their protests. The pair showed Miller badges and identification cards, but he insisted "all you smart guys carry stuff like that," and took them into the posse headquarters.

When Miller and his "prisoners" turned up at headquarters it was learned that the farmer had "captured" Police Chief Hugh Gordon and Detective Charles Thayer. Maybe Miller's face was a bit red but who could blame him at a time like that?

Some chickens are dumb and others are just plain stubborn. We might conclude that others have courage. A hen on a farm near York, Pa., probably would be classified as both stubborn and brave because of what she is reported to have done. When a barn in which she was setting was destroyed by fire this hen refused to desert the nest of eggs and as a result got her wing and tail feathers singed. The shells of the eggs were colored a light brown by the heat, but biddy just sat there and faced the music. When you have a hen with those qualities you have a fowl to be proud of. We hope that biddy is completely recovered.

the winter routes. The first of these is, of course, weather.

When the northern passes are covered with snow and ice, this route furnishes a minimum of unpleasant weather and driving conditions.

The second reason is altitude. To my mind this is almost as important as the first. If you are bringing your parents on the trip, give this one your earnest consideration.

Many people, especially those advanced in years, have difficulty in high altitudes. To the north the passes range from 7,000 to 10,000 feet above sea-level. Here on the southern route, the Continental Divide, just east of Lordsburg, is a little under 5,000 feet or slightly less than the altitude at Denver, Colorado which lies 30 miles east of the actual Rocky Mountain range.

The last important reason is of interest only to the first tripper—Old Mexico. As most of the routes either pass through or come close to El Paso, Texas, a side trip across the border can be made with little inconvenience.

In any event I hope your first glimpse of the city is at night. As you approach it you get the impression of a farm house or barn afire in the distance. As the miles click off and you come closer and closer you realize the bright glow in the sky is caused by Neon signs. The main street is probably as well lighted as any similar one in the United States.

The Lordsburg Chamber of Commerce tells the entire story on their stationery—No Mud, No Snow, No Ice, Just Go, But always stop in Lordsburg.

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Notes on SPORTS

BY
Knebel

Marion Crawley's fast moving Hatchets of Washington High School will play at Jeffersonville on Friday night. Washington has taken a weak Petersburg team, they tromped Bedford to create a sensation and they were side-tracked by Huntington. They rallied to this defeat by taking Vincennes, a previously unbeaten team. The game with the Barnes' Red Devils will bear watching.

Roachdale defeated Jamestown 33 to 24 on November 1st. Since that time the Jamestown lads have won six games. Coach Johnson is a former Jeffersonville man and is turning out a team that may go places.

Among the hardwood headliners for this evening are: Seymour at Bedford, Lehman at Frankfort, Froebel (Gary) at Emerson (Gary)

BOWLING RESULTS DUCK PINS

Banner Club			
Smith	135	113	143
O. Campbell	215	177	181
Hersberger	104	107	84
Reynolds	137	177	163
H. Campbell	204	226	119
	795	800	750
Total Pins			2325
State Highway No. 1			
Scobee	181	179	171
Duncan	106	125	113
Carpenter	111	130	180
Bennett	120	138	131
Jarvis	152	203	138
	670	775	734
Total Pins			2181

INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

Hog receipts 9,000; market steady to 10 cents higher; 160-230 lbs., \$5.25-\$5.50; 230-300 lbs., \$4.80-\$5.15; 300-400 lbs., \$4.50-\$4.70; 100-160 lbs., \$5-\$5.40; sows 10 cents higher from \$4.15-\$4.65.

Cattle 2,700, calves 600; steer trade opening slow, undertone weak to lower; bulk steers \$8-\$10.25; heifers weak, mostly \$7-\$9.25; cows steady; vealers 50 cents higher, good and choice \$10.50-\$11.

Sheep 4,000; native lambs weak to 25 cents lower, bulk good and choice \$8.50-\$8.75; top \$9; nothing done early on fed lambs and yearlings, undertone weak to lower.

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Want Ads LEAD THE WAY

—For Sale—

See Strain's Orchard for apples and cider.

FOR SALE: Ayrshire cow with second calf. S. B. Leech. Stilesville. 12-2p.

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FOR SALE: Christmas trees. Canadian grown balsams, the standard of perfection. Christmas tree holders with water containers, makes your trees look better and last longer. Christmas greens, fresh from the Michigan woods. Winter wreaths and bouquets for the cemetery. Holly wreaths, mantle and table decorations. Blooming plants and fresh cut flowers. Castle Gardens. Phone 109-W. 12-1t.

FOR SALE: 1 Natrola and 1 Florence heater. Reasonable prices. See Ross Hammond, R. R. 3, east on Indianapolis Road 1 1/2 miles, after 6:00 p. m. 12-3p.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: We have the largest stock of high grade band and orchestra instruments in Indiana; also accessories, sheet music and methods. Terms to reliable people. A post card or telephone call will bring a representative. LYONS MUSIC CO., Crawfordsville. 7-12t.

Public Sale on Thursday, December 14, beginning at 10 a. m. of dairy cows, horses, hogs, feed implements and other articles at Wm. P. Coltharp farm, 1-4 mile north of Wesley Chapel Church. Pete Butts, Auctioneer. 8-11-12-3p

FOR SALE: All kinds of apples. The Bailey Orchard on the cemetery road. 9-7t.

FOR SALE: 7 shoats. W. D. Alexander, Putnamville. 11-3t.

FOR SALE: 2 mare colts, 2 cows, 1 team coming 2 and 3. Howard Walters, near Belle Union. 11-3p.

Special discount on Holland Furnaces this month, 36 months to pay. No payment for 60 days. Prompt installation. Call Frank Morrison, Cloverdale. 11-3p.

Public Sale of livestock and household goods Thursday, December 14, at 10:30 o'clock at my farm 3 miles northwest of Morton, Mrs. Belle Souder. 8-12-2p.

FOR SALE: One small coal stove, one small cook stove. Tharp's Barber Shop. 12-1p

FOR SALE: 8 good used tractors, 5 cheap trucks, 4 cheap cars, 2 hammer mills, 2 combines. All kinds used tools. Walter S. Campbell. 12-2t.

FOR SALE: One 4-year old horse, one 4-year old mare, two smooth mouth mares, two 2-year old colts, one odd mule 1400 lbs. Walter S. Campbell. 12-1t.

FOR SALE: One White face steer, extra good feeder, weighing 850 lbs., \$65.00; one Jersey steers, 600 lbs., \$30.00; one Jersey bull, yearling, \$30.00; one black cow, 900 lbs., \$40.00; one Shorthorn and Jersey cow giving milk, \$40.00; one extra good Jersey heifer, weighing 800 lbs., \$45.00. Walter S. Campbell. 12-2t.

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FOR SALE: Old style walnut organ, made by Story and Cark, good tone, \$8.45. Furniture Exchange, East Side Square. Phone 170-J. 12-10.

FOR SALE: Two milk cows and saddle pony. Leland Brown, south on 43. 12-2p.

RUMMAGE SALE: at 8:30 a. m. Thursday, December 14, at court house. 12-2t.

FOR SALE: Fine quality apples for Christmas. Order a mixed basket and enjoy Putnam County apples at their best. McCullough Orchard, Phone 9F2. 12-tf.

—Real Estate—

FARMS WANTED: I have customers for farms if priced worth the money. If you have one for sale call at my office. S. C. Sayers, Vancaster Theater Bldg. 2t.

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—For Rent—

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CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN

Returns for the first week of the 1939 Christmas Seal sale are gratifying indeed as reported by those in charge of the campaign. This proves that the people of Putnam county are interested in the saving of human lives. The germ that causes tuberculosis was discovered just 57 years ago.

In the last 39 years the toll of lives taken annually by this disease in the United States has been reduced 70%. That is what the understanding, sympathetic people have accomplished against an enemy whose defeat is assured. But despite the progress made, it is estimated there are more than 500,000 tuberculous persons, that is persons with active tuberculosis, in the United States alone.

The prevention of tuberculosis is as important as its cure. Modern methods in control include finding the enemy before it makes itself known by outward signs. At first there is little to warn that the germs have begun to do their damage. The hope of getting well lies in beginning treatment early.

The medical profession through the tuberculin test and the X-ray can detect tuberculosis in its earliest stage, when there is a possibility of cure.

The Christmas Seal is the symbol of hope for the afflicted and of safety for all of us whose health is protected by an unceasing campaign for the ultimate eradication of tuberculosis.

Putnam county has always done her part in the annual Christmas Seal sale. Buy your seals—use as many as you can in proof of your enlistment for the duration of this war against tuberculosis. It is a war to save life, not to take it. It is your war.

Administrator's Sale

I will sell at public auction at the Dennis Long home at Reelsville, the following personal property of James M. Alcer, deceased, on,

Thursday, Dec. 14

At 1:00 o'clock.

1 set platform scales; 1 set woven wire stretchers; 1 set single wire stretchers; 1 hand rip saw; 1 garden hoe, shovel and rake; 1 mattock and post digger; 2 log chains; 1 buck saw; 1 double tree; 1 cross cut saw; 1 seed sower; 1 set fly nets; 1 cutlery; 1 wagon; 3 kettles; 1 steel harrow; 1 18-ft. ladder; 2 plows; 1 corn sheller; 1 6-ft. crow bar; 325 bu. of corn; 2 smooth mouth mares; 1 yearling mare colt; 1 sucking colt; 1 cabinet; 6 chairs; 1 sewing machine; 2 feather beds; 1 folding bed; 1 dresser; 1 12x14 rug; 1 rocking chair; 1 double barrel shot gun; 1 steel roller; 1 mowing machine.

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CANAAN

Mrs. Rosa Evans and Mrs. Lennie Greenlee called on Mrs. Robert Cavins Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Glenn Jones of Greencastle visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lona Smith Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Greenlee spent the day in Indianapolis Thursday.

Morris and Dorris Smedley and Betty Ann Judy were entertained at a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Etcheson Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter Miss Jean.

Mrs. Mary Miller who has been sick for the past week is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lona Smith were in Greencastle Friday.

Mrs. Robert Cavin who has been very sick is improving very much.

Ivan Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smedley of North Salem were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Smedley Friday evening.

NEW MAYSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis and family of Indianapolis, Mrs. Mary Ethel Morpheu, Martha Morpheu, Margaret Morpheu of Danville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Malicoat and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Pickett and family of Brownsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pickett.

Mrs. Nancy Elliott spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart and daughter of near Crawfordsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Steward and family were Sunday guests of Ida and Laura Steward.

Miss Loraine Templeman spent Wednesday night with Miss Doris Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Bolton and family of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Ramsey of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Dale Weller and family.

Arthur Wiley, Cornelius Hyspher

of Indianapolis spent the week end with John German.

Mrs. Chauncey Perkins and family spent Friday evening with Mrs. Doshia Ramsey of New Winchester.

LONG BRANCH

Mrs. Osa Marshall

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin of Brick Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lawson and family of Greencastle and Frank Irwin visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Marshall and family Sunday.

Frank Irwin and Ray Irwin of South Bend visited last week with their brother, John Irwin at Veedersburg.

Beulah Grace Marshall returned to school Monday after being absent

with tonsillitis the last week.

Miss Kathrine Johns and friend visited home folks over the week end.

FERN

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frazier and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Reeve Morlan and daughter Clarice and Scottie Morlan spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morlan and family of Fallen Rock.

Harold Shaner called on his brother Charles Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Frazier and Oliver Green visited Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Frazier Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeve Morlan were visitors in Fern Sunday evening.

Willard and Jay Thompson were visitors in Fern Sunday evening. Oliver Green called on Elmer Frazier Saturday evening.

COUNTY YOUTHS APPLY AT WELFARE DEPARTMENT FOR CCC ENROLLMENT

County welfare departments throughout the state are now taking applications for the first 1940 enrollment in the Civilian Conservation Corps. Benton Curtis, director of public welfare for Putnam County, announced today. The selection period extends from January 1 to January 20.

"Young men interested in CCC work are urged to make early application at the local welfare office so that necessary certification and investigation may be taken care of before the close of the enrollment period," the welfare director stated. Welfare officers are located in the county seat of each county in Indiana. "Investigations are made on a first-come, first-served basis, so that youths who make early applications

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6. Garbo has had many leading men and this scene is from "Mysterious Lady," one of her early silent productions, in which she was teamed with Conrad Nagel. Her adaptability to screen technique has been little short of marvelous.



7. After two co-starring appearances with John Gilbert she made two pictures without him. Then they were reunited in "A Woman of Affairs." There never was another romantic couple which equaled their movie heights.



8. When Greta Garbo filmed "Wild Orchids" she flashed a new personality on the screen. This continual change in character has been manifested throughout her career. Here she is with Nils Asther in that production.



9. Nils Asther was also her leading man in a silent picture called "Single Standard." Note that in 1929 she introduced trousers for women long before other actresses in Hollywood were credited with the fad.

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